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EALED TENDERS (in duplicate) marked Tender for Oleaning and Scavenging the Roads. Paths and Parades &c. at the various Military Stations in Hongkong will be received up to Noon on the 23rd August 1869 from persons desirous of contracting for the same for a period of 7 months from 1st September 1869 to 31st March 1870.

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O. F. POTGIETER return yoyage, will proceed direct from For Freight or Passage, apply to Asst. Comy. Genl. Controller's Office, Commissariat, DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, August 6, 1869.

Hongkong, August 19, 1869 IN THE SUPREME COURT OF FOR AMOY, FOOCHOW & SHANGHAI HUNGKONG. The Steamer

IN BANKRUPTOY. will be despatched for the above Ports, at 4 p.m.,

OTICE -RUSTOMJEE DADABHOY, of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong. Merchant, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the Supreme Court on the Thirteenth day of May, 1869, a Public Sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination; and make application for his discharge, will be held before the Honorable Julian Pauncefote, Esquire, Acting Chief Justice of the said Court, at the Supreme Court House, Victoria, Hongkong, on Fri-The N. U. S. Co. Chartere day, the Twentieth day of August, 1869, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon

will take Cargo for all the above At this Meeting, proof of the Debts of Ports, and have immediate despatch. the Creditors will be received. For Freight or Passage, apply to Frederick Sowley Huffam, Esquire, is the JOHN BURD & Co. Official Assignee, and Mr Francis Innes Hazeland is the Solicitor acting in the

North China Steamer Co Bankruptcy. Hongkong, August 19, 1869. Hongkong, July 6, 1869. STEAM TU

SWATOW, AMUY, NINGPO AND IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG-KONG IN BANKRUPTCY.

NIOTICE. - YUE HOP, trading under the firm name of Sain-mow, Bonham Strand, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a l'etition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the Supreme Court on the Fourteenth day of June, 1869, a Public Sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination, and make application for his discharge, will be held before the Honorable Julian Pauncefote, Esq., Acting Chief Justice of the said Court, at the Supreme Court House, Victoria, Hongkong, on Friday, the Twentieth day of August, 1869, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely. TERMS .- To Subscribers to China Ex-

At this Meeting, proofs of the Debts of the Creditors will be received. Frederick Sowley Huffam, Esquire, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Francis Innes Hazeland is the Solicitor acting in the Bankruptcy. Hongkong, August 10, 1869. au20

Land and Store GOODS on the Pre-W ANTED, by a Young Man, A SITUATION as CLERK. Highest References, Can write a good hand. Address "F. L. P." care of Office of China Mail. Hongkong, August 18, 1869,

New Advertisements.

Hongkong, August 7, 1869 HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

HE SECOND CALL of \$100 per Share will hecome due at the Office of HONGNONG AND SHANGHAY BANKING COR-PORATION on the 30th Instant, where Receipts for the payment thereof will be

Interest at the rate of 12% per aunum will charged after the above date. N. B.—The Sorip Receipts for the FIRST CALL, as well as those above referred to will be exchanged for Share Certificates of ompany as soon as the necessary forms are received from England, dub notice) which will be given to the Shareholders. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

General Managers. Hongkong, June 14, 1869.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE CO. OTICE is hereby given that the Shares Nos. 136 to 145 have been placed in the hands of the Company FOR SALE, and scaled tenders for the purchase of one or more of the said Shares will be received until FRIDAY, the 27th instant. No Premis has been contributed by the presen By order of the Court of Directors,

HERBERT S. MORRIS Kiangse Road, Shanghai, August 7, 1869

NOTICE ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY HE Undersigned are authorised accept the reduced rate of One Eighth

the annual premium on Insurances for any term not exceeding TEN ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Hongkong, August 11, 1869. HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

HE Market Circulars, prepared by the CHAMBER, will in future be issued late on the afternoon of the day preceding the departures of the fortnightly P. & O. Mail Steamers. Subscribers are requester to send for their copies between the hours of 4 P.M. and midnight.

Club Chambers. Hongkong, July 20, 1869.

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAM BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE.

I ROM and after this date, SEASON TICKETS to and from Macao transferable) will be issued for \$40 for the term of three months. By order of the Board of Directors,

General Agents. Hongkong, July 24, 1869. HONGKONG BOTEL COMPANY

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

LIMITED. NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Half-yearly MEETING of the Shareholders in this Company will be held in the Hotel on SATURDAY, the 21st August next, at three o'clock, p.m., to receive the statement of accounts with the report of the Directors, and for the election of Directors and Anditors.

By order of the Board of Directors.

Hongkong, July 31, 1869. HONGKONG HOTEL

ROM this date the Management of the Hongkong Hotel is placed in charge of Mr George E. Porrs, to whom all communications should be addressed.

Hongkong Hotel, April 1, 1869.

ILLUMINATIONS. TRANSPARENCIES, TRIUMPHAL ARCHES,

And other DECORATIONS, For the approaching visit of HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE DUKE OF EDINBURCH.

HE Undersigned is now propared to au20 information in reference thereto, can be obtained from

> Messrs WILSON & SALWAY. JOHN B. HOLLAND, Scenic Artist do. Houghoug, July 5, 1869.

BILLLARD ROOM, LONDON INN. THIS Billiard Room will be Clock from date until the 19th August, for fur ther improvements....

LATE TO G. W. SNELLING. Hongkong, August 9, 1869.

JEITHER Capt, SPARROW nor the Underaigned will be responsible for any Debts contracted by the officers or crew of the American ship "Nightingale. AUGUSTINE, BEARD & Co.

Hongkong, August 9, 1869. EITHER Capt. Souling or the Under signed will be Responsible for any Debts contracted by the Crew of the N. G

EDUARDISCHELLHASS & Co. Agents N. G. Ship 's Adlar. Hongkong, July 19, 18891 0 0 .8

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NOTICE OF REMOVAL HE Undersigned have removed their AUCTION SALES DEPARTMENT the Premises lately occupied by Messrs RAY & Co., Queen's Road Central Goods received for Auction Sales will be fully covered by Fire Insurance, for which no extra charge is made.

STURAGE to be had on very moderate LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, July 23, 1869.

DR. VARNUM D. COLLINS, TOLDING a Diploma from the Philadelphia Dental College, resumes the ractice of his profession at Hongkong. Office and Residence, 59, Wyndham Street; but patients visited at their homes if de-All diseases of the teeth treated, and artificial work inserted on gold, silver, vulcanite and Allen's continuous gum. Hongkong, June 14, 1869.

NAGASAKI PATENT SLIP. HIS SLIP is now available for docking Ships of 1. 200 Tons or under, and all work connected therewith, as also in the SHIPWRIGHTS, JOINERS, BOAT-BUILDERS. SPAR-MAKERS, and gone departments is under experienced European Superintendence. The SLIP has been most substantially constructed, in perfectly land-locked and ascure position and has been pronounced by competent authority as equal to any existing works of the same kind:

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NOTICE.

IN THE ESTATE OF DOUGLAS LAPRAIR, Deceased ROBATE of the last Will and Testament of Douglas LAPRAIR, formerly of Hongkong and lately of Acton, deceased, having been granted to the Undersigned one of the Executors in the said Will named, All persons Indebted to the said Estate are hereby required to pay the amount of their debts forthwith. Persons having Claims against the Estate are hereby required to send in particulars of their Claims to the Undersigned, at the Office of Measure DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., or to HENRY C. Bank CALDWELL, Esquire, Solicitor, on or before the 31st day of January 1870, after which date no Claims will be received or admitted. Dated Hongkong, 9th day of July, 1869 R. E. BAKER,

NOTICE. DENT & Co.'s ESTATE.

Executor.

THIRD DIVIDEND of Seven per Claims admitted by the Trustees will be Exchange business transacted. paid on the 25th Sectember next

tees, No. 7, Pedder's Hill, Creditors will be Australia, America, China and Japan.
furnished with warrants signed by the VICTOR KRESSER Trustees which will be payable at the Office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

Hongkong, August 7, 1869.

Auctions and and

ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell Public Auction, in their Sale Rooms, Queen's Road, on

the 20th instant, at Noon,-

Powders, Marking Ink, Essence of Ginney and Shaving Soap.

500 boxes Japanese Todth Powder. 12 doz. Condensed Milk, Wall Paper assorted Patterns, Glassware, Several Bales Californian Hay Old Tom. Eau Cologne, Cherry Cordial, Salad Oil Pickles, Figs, Raisins, Choice Hams Sherry, Muskets, Rifles,

20 barrels Rosin, case Manila Cigara.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery Mexican Dollars weighed at 7. All lots with all faults and errors of de cription at purchasers risk on the fa

Hongkong, August 17, 1869. au20

HONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKIN

THE DIVIDEND declared for the hal year ended 30th June last, at the rate of Twelve per cent per annum, say \$7.50 per paid-up Share of \$125, and \$1.50 per Share on which \$25 have been paid, payable on and after THURSDAY the 19th nstant, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply or Warrants.

By order of the Court of Directors VICTOR KRESSER Hongkong, August 16, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANK

CTICE is hereby given that the Unpaid Capital of One Hundred Dollars der Share on the 20,000 New Shares of the Corporation's Stock will fall due on the dates following, viz

On lat July, 1869. \$25 1st Jan., 1872, 1st Jan., 1878,

Shareholders electing to pay the whole or any portion of the above Calls by anticipation will receive interest at the rate of per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, until the respective dates at which th Calls shall fall due, and receipts for suc payments will be issued at the Head Office and Branches.

By Order of the Court of Directors. VICTOR KRESSER. Chief Manager. Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF

COURT OF DIRECTORS, Chairman GEO. F. HEARD, Esq. Deputy Chairman-Julius MERKE, Esq. GEORGE J. HELLAND, Hon, J. B. TAYLOR. A. JOOST, Esq. WILLIAM LUMANN, J. P. DUNCANBON, W. H. FORBES, Esq. RICHARD ROWETT S. D. SASSOON, Esq. Esq.

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E. R. BELILIOS, Esq.

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent, per annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits .-For 3 months, 2 per cent, per annum.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities centum upon the amount of all and every description of Banking and on the 25th September next.

On application at the Office of the Trus-chief Commercial places in Europe, India, VIOTOR KRESSER,

Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, January 1, 1869,

Shipping:

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM

FOR SHANGHAL The O. S. S. Company

The Undersigned are also prepared receive applications for Freight to London per this steamer, to the extent of 400 Tons. For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR AMOY. The steamer

due TO-MORROW, will have immediate despatch for the above port, and go on to Foochow should sufficient inducement offer, taking Treasure at

For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, August 17, 1869. FOR SINGAPORE. The First-class French brig

Capt. ELIE, will have quick despatch for the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to FREDERIC DEGENACH Hongkong, May 25, 1869.

FOR SINGAPORE & BOMBAY The A 1 British ship "ROHILLA." Captain Dougand, will have quick despatch for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 11, 1869.

FOR MANILA The Spanish brig PERELLO, Master, will have quick dispatch as above. For Freight and Passage, apply to

Hongkong, August 16, 1869. The A 1 American Clipper ship "GAME GOCK," B. F. SHERBURNE, Master, having the greater portion o

her cargo engaged, will load here and at

Whampos, and have immediate despatch for the above Port. For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkoug, July 9, 1869.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American-built barque Captain OROUTT, having the greater portion of her Cargo engaged, will load at this and Whampos, and has room for a limited amount of Freight, for which apply to OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, July 6, 1869.

FOR NEW YORK The North German Barone "DOCTOR PETERMANN. FREDERICKS, Master, having the greater portion of her cargo engaged, will load here and at Whampoa and have immediate despatch for the above

For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, August 18, 1869.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The British ship "NORTH STAR," will have quick despatch for the For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, July 13, 1869.

FOR HAMBURG (DIRECT.) The North German ship " ADLER," Captain Schuldr, having the

greater part of her cargo engaged will load here and at Whampoa and Macao for the above port, and will meet with For Freight, apply to MM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, August 16, 1869.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The A 1 French barque Captain Bonner, of about 9000 piculs carrying capacity.

GRUN & Co. Hongkong, August 7, 1869.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The First Class Swedish barque Capt. Nilson, of 575 Register
Tons. Apply to FREDERIC DEGENAER.

Hongkong, August 18, 1869. FOR SALE, FREIGHT OR CHARTER, The A 1 British brig

Capt. CARGILL, of 223 tons Register or about 5500 pieuls carrying capacity.

For Particulars, apply to
EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.

Hongkong, August 9, 1869.

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Notices to Consignees.
O. S. S. Coy.'s STEAMER "DIOMED" FROM LIVERPOOL.
ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above bteamer, due here about the 20th inst., are hereby informed that the same
will be landed and stored at their risk; according to the clause in the Rills of Ending,
in the Godown situated under Mesers Russell & Co.'s Offices. BIRLEY & Co
Hongkong, August 11, 1869. td
ONSIGNEES of Cargo per Company's
ed to send in their Bills of Lading, for countersignature, and to take; delivery of
their Goods before the 24th Inst, at 3 P.M.
risk and expensed in C. BERTRAND, Letter Principal Agent.
Hongkong, July 22, 1869.
HE following cases have been landed
the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery. of Ext. Tombodge, 22 debruary, 1869.
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Y FW (in diamond) 5 bales Cotton.
Addr. Agaisse Foochow, 1 case Samples. C. BERTRAND.
Hongkong, July 30, 1869.
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NOTICE. 1 HE interest and responsibility of the late Mr Henry Davies Margesson
I late Mr HENRY DAVIES MARGESSON in our Firm ceased on the Soth June last; and Mr MORTIMER LYFLYR MURRAY was
admitted a partner therein on lat July.
Hongkong, August 2, 1869.
MR. FERTZ HABE has been duly authorised to sign our Firm per Procuration
from this date. F. BLACKHEAD & Co. Hongkring: June 15, 1869, 412 110 1
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LANE this day established investing a Louis up a cooperant of Avenue Ab-
Hongkong, July 1, 1868.
NOTICÉ.
will act as Agent of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this port.
Hongkong, August 10, 1869.
T HAVE established myself at Kobe, and
1 Osaka, as Commission Merchant and General Agent.
Hongking, April 16, 1869.
TUISEN AND SUCHORISED ME CLAM BORRE
Hongkong, January 1-1868 votta odd 201
Hongkong, January 1, 1868, Otto Otto
HE Business of KINNEAR & Co., Foo- chow, will be carried on from and after this date under the style and firm of
the partners therein being, Mr. William
CASTER BARRAGUITO COMPANIAN
Foothow, May 1, 1869 CHOI and Wife.
NOTICE. NOTICE R LEONHARD STARL has been admitted a Partner in our Firm from this date.
A PART OF HESSE & Co.
Höngköng, Jüly 1, 1860.
NOTICE TO MANUFACTURERS OF
TATHE Undersigned have just received For
A Sale in quantities to suit purchasers ESSENCE OF LEMON in lib. bottles.
MORRIS & Co., Queen's Road. Hongkong, August 9, 1869. au23
FOR SALE, TO ARRIVE. 80 casks of best Portland CEMENT, E.
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LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, July 10, 1869.
Hongkong, July 10, 1869. tf
Ex "Duninail" and "Carmarthen hire."
UINESS EXTRA STOUT, bottled by E. & S. Burks of Dublin, in quarts and
pints. BASS & Co. ALE, (REPROLL BREW), in Hogsheads and Kilderkins.
BASS & CONALD, in quarts and pints,
10 tons of HUBBUCKS PAINTS of every description.
Hobbucks Pale Boiled and Raw Oll. HUBBUCKS TURPENTINE & DRIERS. CRO. SE and BLACKWELL'S OILMAN'S.
STORES, well assorted; Brown & Pout- son's CORN-STARCH, LOAF SUGAR in
NORK HAMS & CHEESE and Break-

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Notices to Consignees.	For Sale.	
S. S. Cov.'s STEAMER "DIOMED". FROM LIVERPOOL.	To arrive per steamer "Ajaz" and Eor Sale. A BERNAY'S CENTRIFUGAL BUMP.	dishard him
ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above bleamer, due here about the 20th	with 18 inch Suction and Delivery. Price	
t, are hereby informed that the same	\$1,250. 8. SPEECHAY Hongkong, June 8, 1869.	A - Land Street or Party
the Godown situated under Mesers	PER OVERLAND MAIL	1 1 5 1 1
BURLIEY & Co.,	ISS ROSE has just received a choice	
Hongkong, August 11, 1869. td ONSIGNEES of Cargo per Company's	SILKS, BAREGE, Fancy and Muslin DRESSES. REBBONS: Velvet and Dress: TREM:	
Steam-ship "Donnai," are request- to send in their Bills of Lading, for	MINGS in great variety. A large assortment of Ladies and Child-	
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Hongkong, July 22, 1869.	Ex "ANGO" and "ST., GERMAIN." UPERIOR Roussillion WINE, in cask.	
HE following cases have been landed	H. & C. Balaresque's CHATEAU LA-	
Consignees, who are requested to take mediate delivery.	B. & C. Balaresque's HAUT BRION. VEAY CANON.	
Br "Cambodge," 2d February, 1869.	CHATEAU DE	1
Let Donnat," 26th July, 1869, 1994	Haute Sauterne, Bareac, d'Yquem, Cha- hlis, Beanne, Hermitage, Blanc, Cota Ro-	
(in diamond) :: 5 bales Cotton	tie, and other Burgundy WINES. Every description of French Vegetables, Fruits, Preserves, Pates, Truffles, Syring	
dr. Agaisse Foochow, 1 case Samples.	Fruits, Preserves, Pates, Truffles, Syrups, Liqueurs, &c., &c., at LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.	
O. BERTRAND, Principal Abent Longkong, July 80, 1869.	Hongkong July 10, 1869 about 006 M	1 4
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HE interest and responsibility of the late Mr Henry Davies Magnesson our Firm ceased on the Soth June last	H'AWCETT & Co. are now landing, ex	
i Mr Mortiner Lyring Murray was nitted a partner therein on 1st July.	Hogsheads BASS'S AUP	1 1
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R. FERT RABE has been duly author- ised to sign our Kirm per Procuration	Pale SHERRY Old PORT CHAMPAGNE, in pints and quarts	
m this date. F. BLACKHEAD & Co.	Sparkling and Still HOCK. York HAMS and Cheddar DHEESE. American BUTTER.	
Honghong, June 15, 1869 MJ 310 1	Galvanized Iron WIRE ROPE, from 1	
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Publicio Accountant in Average Ab- stee and General Commission Agent, 1 of vig. LANGDON DAVIES.	PAINTS and OILS; CANVAS and TWINE.	
Hongkong, July 14, 11868. (1) NOTICE.	Preserved MEATS, SOUPS, and FISH, OILMAN'S STURES.	
R M this date Mr Thomas A. HARRIS will act as Agent of the Pacific Mail	Fairbank's SCALES, 2,000 and 2,500 lbs. Enfield Converted Breechloader RIFLES with Ammunition complete.	
am-ship Company at this port,	Ex Carmarthenshire	-
Jongkong, August 10, 1869.	Hennessy's BRANDY, su cases, or design Hongkong, June 12, 1869.	- beat
HAVE established myself at Kobe, and Osaka, as Commission Merchant and	HE following Properties belonging to	-
NABAL AGENT. NILLY // HENRY LUCAS.	the Estate of DENT & Co. At Hankow.—The Property at present	
Longking; April 16; 1869. [f.	occupied by Messre Evans & RAINBOW, consisting of a Dwelling House, with Servants' Offices and Stables and three Go.	
E have authorized Mr CLAUS Bonds	downs each 150 feet by 60. The situation of this Property outside	100
longkong, January 1 1868 votta and and and and and and and and and an	the British concession, its river frontage of 320 feet and extensive Godown accommodation makes it one of the most valuable at	1
HE Business of KINNEAR & Co., Foo-	Hankow especially for steam-boat purposes. At Kinkiang.—Four Lots on the British	F. 10.
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Apply to JOHN GERRARD. Hongkong, August 10, 1869.

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THE Occidental Hotel having been recently improved and refermished, is now in complete order in all its appoint Travellers will find the Accommodations of this well known Hotel equal to those of Hongkong, April 13, 1869.

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BAIL MAKING !! TAT HALLAM DOLAN having returned to Liongkong, bas resumed his business of Sam Maring in alleits branches, at his old place in Duddell Street, and solicits the patronage of the Public. He has on hand a fine assortment of & for Boat Sails or Awnings.

Hongkong, April 29, 1869. HAIR CUTTER & HAIR DRESSER,

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Hongkong, March 19, 1869.

THE Undersigned, in pursuance of the instructions of His Excellency Her Britannic Majesty's Minister at Peking, on Monday, the 14th June, 1869, took over charge of British interests at the Ports of Taewanfu and Takow, and entered on his duties as Acting Consul WM. M. COOPER BRITISH CONSULATE, CO. C. C. Taewanfu, June 15, 1869.

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Instant, at 3.30 P. M. For MELBOURNE & SYDNEY .-Per "MARQUIS OF ARGYLE," on Monday, next the 23rd Instant, at For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-

CUTTA,-Per "GLENARTNEY," on Saturday next, the 21st instant, at 12,80 p.m. IF FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOUHOW .-Per "CADIZ," on Friday, the 20th instant, at 11,30 A.M.

UNDER DESPATCH. For Singapore, Penang and Calcutts,— Per Glenuriney, on Saturday next, the 21st instant, at 1 p.m. For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.--Per

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CLEARED. Joachim Christian, for Yokohama, Nuevo Constante, for Macao. Lizzie, for Foochow. PASSENGERS

Additional per Great Republic,-For Yokohama, Mr M. Labin, Professor Carvalez, Mr Leonard Bretone, and 9 Chinese. For San Francisco, 479 Chinese ARRIVED -- Per Hoogly, from Suez,

For Hongkong. From Marseilles. Mr and Mrs. Higgin, Innes, Gimenez, Mag- Bank, 5 months' sight, nique, Ramme, Tolme, Monez, Perrache, Credita, 6 Toche, Aniel, Reynaud, Gentillor, Castel. On Calcutta, 3 days sight, Rs. 227

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3.80 a 5.30 For Shanghan From Marseilles - Mrs.

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Corcelles, Le Bris Duramain, Lucas, Al-Gas Company Shares, ... Collet. From Saigon .- De Vantre, De Cor-Besson, Pollier, Hamon, Confiant.

(From the Canton Customs Daily Returns. Summary of Imports and Exports passed the Carton Custom House, by the Native Craft, during the week ended 15th Angust.
Imported from Hongkong:

1,342 bags Chaff.

115 bags Coke. 332 bales Cotton. 119 bundles Cotton Thread 99 packages Cuttle Fish. 30 tubs preserved Eggs, 69 baskets dried Fish 2,364 bags Flour. 185 cases Window Glass. 4,895 Bottles 97 bales Glue.

44 packages Gunny Bags. 737 pieces Buffaloe Horns. 134 bundles old Iron. 286 bundles Iron Ware. 78 bales Liquorice. 120 Copper Sheets 257 packages old Copper.

419 pigs Lead. 10 tons Coal. 81 packages Steel 2,843 bundles, and 287 pieces Nail Rods, Bars and Hoops. 1,875 bundles Mangrove Bark.

504 packages Medicine. 66 bales dried Mussels. 1,413 piouls and 390 bags Peas. 22 bales Pepper. 13,936 bundles Rattans. 5,956 bags Rice. 50 tubs Rose Maloes. 30 bags Sago. 38 picula Sandalwood.

42 bales Stock, Fish, 34 baskets Tallow, 251 packages Vegetable Seeds. 48 bales Vermicelli. 32 bales Wax. 630 bags Wheat.

393 pieces Red Wood. 104 bales and 103 picula Sapanwood. 523 packages Sundries, Exported to Hongkong :-35 packages Bambooware. 20 packages Chinaware. 40 bales China-root. 80 packages Charcoal. 30 cases preserved Eggs.

169 cases Flour. 37 baskets green Ginger. 132 piculs old Iron. 42 packages Ironware 16 packages Red and White Lead. 3,032 bundles Mats. 101 bundles Marble Slabs.

48 packages Medicine. 23 pieces and 15 packages Mirrors. 26 packages Paper. 28 packages Pickles. 280 Plants. 268 packages and 10 jars Samshoo.

2,585 boxes and 75 chests Tea 32 packages Tobacco. 12 cases Umbrellas and Kittysols. 50 baskets and 31 jars salted Vegeta-9 Corns. 35 bundles Firewood. 27 packages Woodware. 1,413 packages Sundries.

Summary of Imports and Exports passed at the Canton River Steamer Office during the week ended 14th August. Imported per Kin Kiang and Kinshan,

669 bales Bombay Cotton. 618 bales Bengal Cotton. 45 bales Native Cotton. 236 bales Cotton Yarn. 53 balea Elephant's Teeth. 19 chesta Patna Opium. 3 chekts Malwa Opium. 19 packagea Wax. 12 flasks Quicksilver. 189 packages Tea. 11 casks Ginseng. 110 cracs and bales Cotton Goods. 45 cases and bales Woollen Goods.

63 packages Sundries. Exported per Kin Kiang and Kinshan, o Hongkong :-106 cases and bales Fine Silk. 1 case Punjum.

35 cases Silk Piece Goods.

71 bales Cocoons. 84 packages Trunks. 82 packages Chinaware. baskets Citron. 206 boxes Preserves. 241 cases Lungan. 541 piculs Sugar. 77 cases Glass Bangles. 18 packages Medicine. 11 baskets Green Ginger. 12 pieces Furniture. 155 tons Tea.

Per Juno, cleared for Coast Porte :--187 packages Arsenic. 100 cases White Lead. 150 cases Lichees. 280 cases Paper. 150 packages Sundries. Per Scaufell, cleared for London :-1,625 picula Scented Orange Pokoe Tea.
520 picula Southong Tea.

272 packages and parcels Sundries,

2,793 picula Scented Caper Tea, 460 piculs Gunpowder Tea. 89 piculs Young Hyson Tea. 16 piculs Congou Tea. 60 bales Silk Refuse. 804 cases Preserves. 50 casks Soy, 276 bundles Canes.

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QUOTATIONS

Hongrone, 19th August, 1869 OPIUM.—Patna, New, ... \$565 Benares, New, 5583 Malwa. Persian, COTTON, - BOMBAY, Gold Leaf, 23.35 Gold Bar, 98 touch, ... 22.95 a 23,25 English Sovereigns, ... 4.50 lard, Causse, Matton, Argenson, Didier, H. & W. poa Dock, Old, ... 6a8p. c. disc. Pichot, Vachalde, Armasson, Mandin, H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, ... 34 p. c. pre. Do. do. New, ... 15 nulier, De Vautre, Prouteaux, Banare, Union Dock ... 40 a 45 p. a dia Temperature. Hongkong, 19th August, 1869. Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co.'s Premises. Queen's Road.) THERMOMETER-9 A.M., Dry, 85 Do. 4 P.M., Dry, 80 Do. Wet Self-registered Maximum. Do. Min. over night, 82 BAROMETER, 9 A.M. Do. data 4 P.M. . 29.868

Notice. It is particularly requested that

all communications relating to the general business of this paper be addressed to the

Proprietor and in no case to individuals by

name. Much delay and inconvenience in

the transaction of business will thereby be

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, AUG. 19, 1869. OUR POLICE.

It is satisfactory to note that the Acting Registrar General is devoting his attention to the removal of those minor nuisances which, though scarcely worthy of being made the subjects of grave complaint, are by no means unimportant to those who suffer daily annoyance thereby. The chair regulations as to badges and tariff boards have already resulted in the saving of much time, temper, and cash to the seafaring and other visitors who were formerly at the mercy of the truculent set who constitute our chair coolies. The latest improvement is an attempt to enforce the rule of the road by notices posted on the lamp-posts, etc., of the principal streets, but owing, we fancy, to the chair coolies being unable to read them, they are as yet nearly inoperative. Foreigners are very willing to co-operate with such efforts, for their own comfort, but when they cannot make themselves understood (as is generally the case) but little good results from their endeavours. We would suggest that the police be instructed to enforce the rule, and whenever they perat home ceive a chair on the wrong side of the road instruct the bearers to take their We learn that a fir last night, by which Oriental Hotel, at proper position. Of course this requires police who can make themselves understood to the natives, a qualification, the absence of which at present distinguishes that ornamental body. No later than yesterday we perceived one of the BLACK Jokes of the Colony, great in turban, and perfectly awful in the dexterity with which he twirled his baton, endeavour-

stand what was meant by the Black than from intentional disobedience. What we complain of is that these, doubtless well-meaning but half-useless, Sikhs cannot understand anyone. If a house be on fire, a fight going on, or a larceny is being committed, neither European or Chinese can obtain the help of a Sikh policeman unless he be an actual witness of the affair. With the enormous sum at the disposal of the Government for police purposes we could surely afford a thoroughly efficient police force, consisting entirely of Europeans, and of a better grade even than a large proportion of those now entered. Remonstrance is, we fear, thrown away till the time expires of the Sikha' engagement. But we sincerely hope that when that date arrives, the experiment will not be continued.

ing to make some chair-coolies comply

with directions quite right in themselves

but quite wrongly enforced, the six feet of

animated Indian native at length losing

all patience and using his truncheon as

a final interpreter. Beat a man over

the head and face, judiciously aiming

your blows from a northerly direction,

and the probability is that he will re-

treat backwards to the southward, and

this was the ultima ratio adopted by the

enlightened Sikh. We had reason, how-

ever, to believe that the obstinacy of the

chair coolies in the first instance arose

rather from an utter incapacity to under-

THE "indifference to human life," as strangers term it, or the fear of being implicated in cases of death by violence or disease, as the better in ormed students of Chinese customs describe it, has more than once been distressingly illustrated in Hongkong. At the present moment a Chinese boatman stands committed on a charge connected with this subject, and without in any way commenting upon the circumstances which surround his particular case, we may be permitted to ask what steps have been taken to impress upon the native mind the distinction which exists between their mode of action and ours? The practice which obtains amongst the Chinese

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ed to follow suit Browne, no other assigned for Mr K. has discharged his o ner highly creditable infloriting entire sati men here, even the bean testimony.

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eneral is devoting his attenremoval of those minor hich, though scarcely, worthy ade the subjects of grave re by no means unimportant ho suffer daily annoyance he chair, regulations as to tariff boards have already the saving of much time cash to the seafaring and who were formerly azithe truculent set who constitute polies. The latest improve attempt to enforce the rule by hotices posted on the etc., of the principal streets, ve fancy, to the chair coolies to read them they are as noperative. Foreigners are to co-operate with such their own comfort, but when make themselves understood ally the case) but little good

heir endeavourage We would

the police be instructed to

rule, and whenever they per-

on the wrong side of the t the bearers to take their ion. Of course this requires can make themselves undernatives, a qualification, the bich at present distiliquishes ental body. No laterathan perceived one of the BLACK he Colony, great in turban; wawful in the dexterity with wirled his baton, endeavoursome chair-coolies comply ons quite right in themselves ongly enforced, the six feet of dian native at length losing and using his truncheon as rpreter. Best a man over nd face, judiciously siming from a northerly direction bability is that he will reards to the southward and ultima ratio adopted by the Sikh We had reason, howeve that the obstinacy of the in the first instance grose in utter incapacity to underwas meant by the Black

ntentional disobedience complain of is that these Il-meaning but half-useless, t understand anyone. If a fire, a fight going on, or a ing committed, neither Eurorese can obtain the belp of a oan unless he be an actua he affair. With the enorthe disposal of the Governice purposes we could surely oughly efficient police force, atirely of Europeans, and of e even than a large propor se now entered. 9 Remonre fear, thrown away till the of the Sikha engagement. terely hope that when that the experiment will not be

erence to human life," as cuses of death by violence the better informed stuese customs describe it/ has nce been distressingly illusongkong. At the present inese boatman stands comcharge connected with this without in any way comthe circumstances which particular case, are may be ask what stops have been ees upon the native mind which exists between their n and ours ! The practice as amongst the Chinese

code which decrees that the person found nearest to or last seen with a dead body shall be held to be the murderer. Cases hard occurred in which beggars, to rerange some fancied or real injury, have carled to the doorstep, of a shopkeeper there to die, in the full assurance that process to which the shop-

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keper will mevitably be subjected by the police. This mode of "post mortem subjection is recommend resorted to alms have been persistently refused. with may momentarily be expected, the miser opens, and favulous sums (instone case within , qur knowledge 50 Taels was the sum named), the expiring man of filth and rags will but drag himself-a few paces offoffers which do not always prove successinto their minds it is scarcely to be wondead body or with any one near death in e adopted to do saway with this means but too much neglected in this Colour, though such should not be the when we reflect that the wall pla assault is held to be a particeps oriminis

Linksking, November 9, 1836.

Waleary that a fire occurred in Magao late under our noses (as the Kinshan did on was never a partner with me in any busi Oriental Hotel, situated near the Hong- cedent in the history of our river steamers. \$60, though I have expended over \$1000. kong Steamer Wharf, was totally destroyed very sudden and mysterious manner, and first attracted observation by a crackling billiard room, when this crackrash was at once made for their resone. a chemical examination of 12 specimens of In going unstairs the whole place was found safely horne out. The fire is said to have The cultivation of Chinchona seems also exone o'clock this morning the place | was fourteen heads of provincial Governments | completely guttered. We understand that neither the building nor attings were inand the loss will therefore beavily on the proprietor, Mr Gardner, formerly a resident of this Colony. the energy he displayed in rescuing its top storey; and great maile is generally, accorded to the Macao

a Canton correspondent writes under date Angust 16 :- That coming events cast their abadows before, is undoubtedly true, and which perhaps signifies that the structed in accordance with the doctrine propounted by Mr Burlingame Such a modus operandi may be taken as a criterion foresee that the Burlinganie mission bun-Allighted chims may be pressed upon Eng-land, when she will be engaged in another Ching war. For, not many days after these lines will appear in print, Mr. King, who has filled the post of U. S. Consul at this port for a period of not over two years, will be sending round his P. P. O. to his lutimate friends. If he has not been order. Pan-a shing, the han charged with the Ed to follow suit with the Plenipo Mr. murder of the seaman Trim, was fully Browns, no other rational reason can be committed for trial at the Supreme Court, assigned for Mr K. a rea guation. That he after a careful investigation, in which all the brevious ground was gone over.

his subjects, otherwise the members of the mercantile community also of the present day in the Far Bast, would have been perhaps, men of Grant's "nomination." That our American friends are calculating upon a revival of that much yexed Alabama | day, and was an action to recover certain question by an appeal to bayonets on the part of their Government, may be inferred and bowling alleys at the Oriental from the quantity of pula leaf fans that has been contracted for to go forward to New amounted to \$1,018, but the \$518 York during the ensuing two months, which it is to be sincerely hoped, will be at least the medium of keeping cool their irritated countrymen in the States, no mat Mr Sharp was for the defendant tex, if the shippers of the article burn their

the "patriots" were induced by Yeh, the Pearce and Browne as to rent, etc. Mr one time, still it had been clearly shown to then Whampon by Prancis then detailed various sums paid by have been done. In fact, Blackwood bad receiving a sum of 140,000 tacls. After plaintiff for the user of detailed various sums paid by have been done. In fact, Blackwood bad plaintiff for the user of detailed various and he wards followed the Array imbroglio, and a then called the plaintiff or the p native merchants like our young toppers, resigned my place in the American Coppu-But never were hopes more cruelly disappointed for the defeats suffered at the hands of Dame Fortune were such as place, like a bird placked of its feathers ruined. The chief cause of his failure in business at Haukow, he attributed to the the remains of the deceased was kept in a Stultz. The entrance fee, for a coffin in stated to be 30 tacks, and which are supplied by the landlord for ghosts of the deceased, as long as the coffins

trict of Tong-koon, from which Hongkonglockaded by the Anian and other yun-yessels, in consequence of a dispute touching the semi annual tribute of the Tong-koonites no doubt be up in arms to resist of igundation reach us from the North.

that the flames broke out in a THE following paragraphs are from the the house was his.

thrive. The report for the second quarter ling noise was heard from above; and as of 1869 gives the total number of plants at 1.032.404, all of the most productive varieunder a sloud of amoke and it was, with 1860-63 which can now far risk without damficulty that the lady and her children, were age about 1.000 kilogrammes of dry bark. broken out about half-past eleven, and by tending over the East-India Archipelago, and have applied for plants in order to distribute them amongst the people of mountain- strange that Mr Blackwood, who denied al be enlarged considerably before the next

\$40,000 for Government House, at Singa- give me \$500 for my share in the business pore has received the sanction of the I Secretary of State; we never had any doubt of this; however great the blunder may anything else supplied to the Oriental Bar have been of commencing a house of such proportions, it would have been a still greater blunder to leave it infinished. Up fair profit for the Bar, and Bowling Alley can be no doubt that President Grant to a very recent time, we have been assured Had unlimited confidence in Browne. his mild that the representation that the sum voted \$140,000 in all, will be exceeded, but we are not at all sorry to have this assurance strengthened by the intimation of the Secretary of State, that no further expenditure, on this work, will be sanc-

Legislative Council from the Roman Cathoof judging the President's ulterior juten- lie Bishop at Penang, praying for au in, have the Bar license, while Blackwood held selfools. From the paper we learn that the lasted until the last instalment was paid off

TO DAY'S FOLICE.

per highly creditable to his government and | Mr Blackboad appeared to answer a sum-Midniling entire antiefaction to his country mone at the instance of Sikh P. C. 258, der here, even the stones of Honam will for having kept a ferocious doz which bit beat teltiming. Consecutently, the only the said constable. Complainant was in

brings undoubtedly from the Draconic as those held by the Shah of Persia over | SUMMARY JURISDICTION COURT, (Before Hon. J. C. WHYTE) August 19, 1869.

E. W. Blackwood v. David Browne, \$500, mr Francis appeared for the plaintiff.

The facts as stated by Mr. Francis

fingers, as they, did two years ago; for in these :—On Dec. 1867 the plaintiff purchase the present instance their suffering will be ed the Oriental Bar and Bowling Alley at on the principle of pro bono publico. That the high; class of Colestials con- other tayern and could not get a license for sult the Fungshuey even in the selection of a spot for the interment of their dead, has nager. On the renewing of the license, been lately demonstrated in a least within some difficulty arose with Mr. Pearce, when my personal knowledge. The father of a Browne asked Blackwood to give him some Honor, as the evidence amounted to oath wealthy pative merchant departed this life receipts to show that he had some grounds against oath. at the time when the rebels were at Wham to claim the license as owner or part owner of part owner or part owner owner or part owner owner or part owner owner or part owner poa and threatening to capture Canton in of the house. Blackwood therefore made length than Mr S. remarking also upon 1855. Fearing foul play on the part of out receipts purporting to represent the the fact that it was a case of oath against these "patriots," the corpse of the departed payment of part of the purchase money of oath. His Honor would have to decide individual was buried in a hurzy. Subset the house, and gave them to Browne on the upon the probabilities of the case. He quently it was discovered that the Fung- promise that they should be torn up so soon | contended that the probabilities were in shows around the grave was not a favorable as they had served their purpose. The Blackwood's favor, his story being the most one, and the cottin was immediately re- license was then granted to Browne and moved and placed in a private house, as some arrangement was made between Mr

Oriental Bar and Bowling Alley at anotion was no written agreement. me if he could take charge of the Bowling ative in the smallest degree. Upon the Alley; I said I would see of the arranged probabilities, therefore, he would have to take the place for \$125 per month for to decide; and he would go upon the prinone year; and promised to give Browne ciple, viz that the plaintiff must prove his \$50 a month if he could get a license. This case satisfactorily to the Court. He be license was obtained; the bowling alley lieved, and was compelled to believe, the license remaining in Parker's name. Browns was to live with Mr Pearce, and was to re- ant's favor, for three reasons - Isk the aban lather, which he has, however, done at last, | seive \$30 per month for board. I advanced | donment of more than half of his claim three weeks ago. I mentioned above that \$300 for the payment of the license, and put liquors into the house to the amount of about \$37. Took out licenses for the bowlceived only \$60 from the house. paid some \$27; also bought a billiard-table a further sum is allowed by the relatives of from Mr Simons, price \$275 and a bilballs from My A. D. Mitchell for which Mingqua, who was well known to foreign- Paid the rent of the house for the first those of two other individuals the other my instructions. Did not expect much day. A clear profit of \$600 per annum is outturn the first year, and thought said to accrue to Stultz from this peculiar house would only pay itself and clear the when Mr Pearce, wished to have the and Bowling Alley, Browns suggested that been pounced upon by some petty manda | he (Blackwood) should give him a few rerips, and was fright ully tortured before ceipts to show that he had a certain claim help arrived from the French Consulate .- for the liceuse; when he continued : I The creeks leading to the important dis- gave Browne five or six receipts, which tes receive many articles, are stated to be with different dates (receipts identified) Browne got the license the second time the receipts to Browne on condition that they should be returned to me, when squeeso" that is demanded by a demon- they were shown to Mr Pearce. I was stration of square-rigged and foreign-offi- told by Browne that they were never shown one or other had been guilty of periuty cered craft, your Chamber of Commerce to Mr Pearce, but that they were torn up, and he was only sorry that the evidence another "blockade." Whilst complaints | saw Mr Wagner take things into the house, the folks of our river-steamers have every to take Wagner into partnership, and that conclusion by regarding that man whose

and it was all right. Some time after. and was told by Hrowne that he intended reason to complain to the contrary Stick- I had nothing to do with the house. I ing at the barrier below was no extraordi- objected to Wagner coming to the house, nary occurrence, but to get aground right and offered to sell it for \$1000. Browne last night, by which a building known as the Friday last), was an event without pre- ness; and all I ever got from Browne was Browne said he had a receipt to show that Straits papers :- By Mr Sharp : Never said a word to noise. Several gentlemen were engaged at Chiuchona culture in Java continues to did not know that Browne was in treat for the bar; but Browne asked me.

took the house, to get him into it. I swear most positively that I never mentioned children were asleep in the upper storey, a ties now under culture. Mr Moons made anything of partnership to Browne. Don' remember of Browne threatening to dis Chinchons bark cut from trees planted in solve the partnership because I brought questionable characters into the house Don't know why the bills were so headed Browne and Blackwood. Have no receipts of \$300 for bar and alley littings Browne has the receipts 14 312 32 Mr Sharp observed that it was mos

> ous districts. The private plantations at Bui- partnership and had so much experience in tenzorg and in the Presuger Regencies will this Court, should pay money in that way without getting the receipts. Cross-examination continued :- Did po We learn that the additional vote of recollect any promise made by Browne to swear that Browne never paid me for champagne supplied, mirror purchased, or and Bowling Alley.

By the Court: \$250 or \$300 would, be Mr. Pearca, Mr. Simons and Mr.F. Francis were each examined and cross-examined but their evidence was not very important. Mr Sharp (for defendant) said that his An application has been laid before the been mide of the moneys alleged to be due. The arrangement was that Browne should

Other aums were denied by the witness to. Paports of Rice from Saigon : Total

money frequently paid by Browne to Blackwood und papers given in return for the same. He had also seen two or three papers given by Blackwood to Browne in one day. When payments were made,

however, he only saw one paper pass. Plaintiff recalled, stated that he could not remember the date exactly when he gave the receipts. But he would awear positively that he wrote and signed all the receipts at one time, between the 9th and corresponding with the date of the receipt. defendant 10 GIJI Defendant distinctly denied having been

asked for any money since December last until the sucumons was served.

Mir thing to do to give five or six receipts at to the propuration of the license, and and

painful to liave to decide such a case as a Jury, because it was positive wath against positive oath, and the other swidence could scarcely be said was corroborative in the smallest degree. Dpon the but not so heavy to induce a man to forego were besides many respectable men in son at all given for that curious proceeding Mr. Pearce having never asked for any suc regard for veracity; but it was indeed sad to see men supposed to by Christian swearing that black was white. Clearly did not fully justify his sending that one to trial. ous inference, and might come to a wrong evidence he did not believe to be a per-

SAIGON COMMERCIAL

Meisrs Hauschild and Sornsen's Circular. dated Saigon, 14th August, 1869, says Our last circular was under date of: 17th altimo. Since then we have received advices from Hongkong to the 22nd instant from Singapore to the 9th idem and from Europe to the 8th ultimo.

- Rice. - The market during past four weeks has been characterized by grea sparcity of grain and pancity of business. Our growers having discovered better-pay ing outlets than Saigon in some parts on the Annamite Coast, where grain is much wanted, send their produce to these places direct and keep our market poorly supplied. In some districts they are hiorcover still busy preparing their fields and thereby revented from sending their stocks town. The whole business of this period has been confined to two or three shipments for Yokohama and for Europe owner's account; under the influence the prevailing scarcity of grain however

prices have advanced and we quote to-day 11:26/27 for round and \$1:11/12 for long. FREIGHTS. - Great activity has pervaded the market and an unusually large number of charters to China have been concluded but, owing to the arrival of a large amount of Topnage, rates have experienced a serious decline from these ruling last month. The Topuage now in harbor is in excess of our wants and, as scarcely any Rice offers for shipment and stocks of Fish and Cotton defence was that a partnership existed be- are rapidly decreasing, we do not anticipate tween the parties, and that payment had an early improvement. There is and enquiry for any other part but China Subjoined we add a list of charters concluded since our last : Eugene & Adel hous. He seems to be keen enough to orens of the grant in aid to the Catholic | the license for the Bowling Alley, and this French, 10,0:0 picula to Hongkong 25 centa Rice, 45 cents Fish and 70 cent lead to a proture between John annual grant in aid to the Protestant by Browne to Blackwood, as per the receipts Cotton; Misti French, 12,000 picula; if t Bull and Tungiche, su event to which the Church in Singspore, amounts to \$4,203.76; produced by Blackwood. Those receipts Hongkong 25 cents Rice, 48 cents Fish and President, apparently, endeavoured to give in Penang, \$4, 162 08; in Malacca, \$3,578 52, they distinctly alleged were not written and 68 cents Cotton, if to Swatow-29 cent moral support by indirect means, in being a total of \$11,946,36; while the Roman given all at one time, but were written as Rice, 521 cents Fish and 76 cents Cotton heathen potentate, so that the Catholic Church, with a proportion of seven | each payment was made: | Paradies German, 9,000 picula to Amoy David Browne (defendant) distinctly \$3,250 in full; Ango French, 10,800 pionle awore that he agreed to go into partnership to Hongkong 3,000 piculs Rice at 25 cents, with Blackwood three or four days before 1,500 piculs Fish at 45 cents and balance the first liceuse was taken out in his name, Cotton at 70 cents; Ellida Swedish, 5,400 and that he afterwards arranged to give piculs to Hongkong, 1,400 piculs Bice at Blackwood \$500 for his share of the busi S0 cents Fish at 65 cents and Cotton at 85 ness in instalments. Blackwood asked for cents : Frant & Marie German, 7,400 picula \$600 at first, but afterwards came down to to Amoy, \$2,350 in full Jasa Garman, \$500 and the last of the instalments he 7,000 piguls to Hongkong, J,400 in full had paid, together with \$275 advanced to Cary & Jane German, 9,000 pionis to assist him in purchasing a billiard-table. Hongkong, 22 cents Rice, 45 cents Fish Witness swore that the stamped re and 65 cents Cotton | Selo German, 21,000 ceipts produced were not all written piculs to floughong, \$2,350 in full; Dryat once, and were not given to him in a dens British, 10,000 picula to Hongkong, heap, but separately as they were paid. \$1,050 in full.

CORRESPONDENCE

THE DOCK MEETING.

To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL." Hongkong, August 19, 1869. ing's paper to have said that Mr Kresser much cheaper than the tt. K. & W. D. Co. I did not mention this gentleman's name. Will you have the kindness to insert the

S. E. BURROWS.

THE BALLOT FOR AUDITORS.

To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL." Hongkong, August 19, 1869. Sir,-Having observed from your Repor the meeting of Shareholders of the Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company that Mr O. Mr Kerr and nivself were pro posed as Auditors in place of the Gentlemen who now hold that Office. I beg to state that my name was brought forward and ballotted for without my knowledge or should not have accepted the honour I am Sir, Your obedient servant,

J. M. VICKERS

NOTICE TO MARINERS The Master Attendant, Bombay, hereb notifies for general information, that on and after the 1st day of May 1870, a Flag Staff (with yard) 200 feet above sea level rected on the Island of Kennery at the entrance to the Port in Latitude North, and Longitude 72 48' 50" East, and distant about 260 feet, and bearing N. N. from the centre of Light House Tower (Signed) J. E. O. PRYCE.

Master Attendant, Bombay Office of the Master Attendant. Bombay, 20th May 1869.

ARRIVAL OF THE FRENCH

MATTIS MUSICILA The M. I steamer Hoogly, Captain Borely, from Suez, with dates to the 18th Aden 24th ulto, and Galle, 2nd instant bringing the Marseilles Mail of the 10t alto arrived yesterday evening. following are the only telegrams (from the London and China Express extral date

than those already to hand :--London, 27th July .- The Irish Churc The Telograph Bill

Galle, 2nd August .- Interruptions in th Pelegraph lines from Calcutta and Bombay back late information from thos places, and have intiriered at same time with delivery of London messages, none which have been received since the morn-

It is hoped that the information with reprence to Straits and China: produce proaised in issue of 13th ultimo, will be received in time for the next English Steamer. The Messageries Imperiales Company Steamer Cambodge arrived from the Straite and China on 31st ultimo, experiencing heavy weather outside Galle.

Arrivals or departures connected with none: MAN COMMERCIAY London, 28th July .- Cotton, Dhollerat 10id., market steady.

Calcutta, 26th July .- Exchange on London. 1-114 a 1-11-9-16. Chiua, Rs. 226 weak. Patna Opium, Rs. 1,285; Benares Rs. 1,265. Loading for Straits and China steamers China Hindoostan and Armenian Cotton, fair Bengal, Rs. 25-4. Imports

quiet but firm. I sal Wald Ope New York, 23rd July. Cotton Midun lands 34 cents. Gold 1354. Exchange on

Calcutta, 2nd August. - Exchange on London 1-11 to 1-11-9-16 China Ra. 22 Patna Opium Rs. 1267. Benares Rs. 1247 Cotton Fair Bengal Raz 26. Imports. Dull, prices lower.

It is about two years since the public heard of the trials made in H.M.'s Waterwitch of a new method of propulsion, destined, so its inventors affirmed, to supersede service and the navy. The method indeed invention, for it had long before been brought before the world by Mr. Ruthven. was perfectly steady in its action, working | for this sentence, will; raise by 5,000 the alike in any weather or sea, saving the risks | circulation of the paper in which Achille the screw shaft with the stern, free from all doubled. His friends will respect him presenting extraordinary facilities for stop-ping or turning. What remained to be tried was the question of speed. To test this element the inventor had a vessel construct. deputy at the next elections. Foolish baed to ply on the Thames as a passenger daud Foolish Minos | Lucky Achille | boat, in competition with those regularly And what will the Government say to at work. This experimental boat, obris. M. Minos | Will M. Lacoche, the Minister telled the Nautilus, tried against one of Justice, call him and cry, as Louis Hongkong, 22 cents Rice, 45 cents fish of the Citisen Company's bosts, of rather and 65 cents Cotton; Selo German, 21,000 piculs to Hongkong, \$2,350 in full; Drydens British, 10,000 piculs to Hongkong, 61,650 in full.

Proports of Rice from Saigon:—Total—Exports from 1st to January to 21st June of being found entirely free from vibration in the Legion of Honour. Were he to be the legion of Honour. best testimony. Consequently, the only the said constable.—Complainant was in this of Mr Ring's supercession is perhaps. Hospital for two days. Defendant stated be due.

Laports from 1st to January to 21st June be due.

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Laports from 1st to January to 21st June due to sense the form of being found entirely free from singular ment. Important this he had not owned one in the design of Honor. Were he to supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to Supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to Supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to Supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to Supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to Supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to Supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to Supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to Supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to Supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to Supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to Supercession in the design of Honor. Were he to Supercession in the design of Honor. Were he due to the design of the design of Honor. Were he due to the design of the des by being possessed of such arbitrary powers the summons.—Case dismissed, and the complete state of the summons of their own, the former more completely numerous as despotant,

was fitted with the hydraulic propeller, the two latter with twin screws wou the first trial at Maplin Sands in 1866, the Faren and Figer made respectively 9.2 and 367 knots. At the same place the Farences, Sir, I am reported in your last even on her first trial in Vantary, 1867 Field 9.9 knots. Werther trials were or best that replied to me by saying that the Union Stokes Bay, and came off in Augusty 4867. Dock Co. could do work cheaper than the The Fion then mide 9:06 knots, the Viper H. K. & W. D. Co. This is an error, 9.47 knots, the Materwirch 9.23 knots, 14t which kindly correct. I said that I per- half power the Vicen made 7.34 knots; the 11th of November, 1868. He could not sonally saw four of the Directors of the Viper, 7:33 knots; the Waterwitch, 6.16 explain the date on the statip except by U. D. Co. in reference to establishing a knots. In circling, the Vicen and Viper the rotation of the months, each stamp scale of charges for the working of both made the full circle in 3 min. 20 sec., the Companies I said I saw Mr Kresser, who Waterwitch in 4 min 11 see Kreept in He had often asked for the money from the said he would lay my proposition before the matter of full speed these figures are the Directors at their next meeting boll also against the Waterwitch, but on the said another of the Directors made the hand she underwent some trials in which same reply. It was Mr Landstein. I like her rivals could not compete with her .. She wise said another of the Directors told me, went astern at a rate of 7 9 knots, and she Mr Sharp said that the case was a very | that as they had closed up their Whampon | turned on her centre, without use of her establishment they could do their work helm, in 6 min 25 sec. and by reversing the discharge pipes she was stopped from full speed ahead in 1 min. 9 sec. or within a space only twice her on length.

These results were so satisfactory in the matter of speed—the only point in which a deficiency was anticipated that it might have been expected the experiments would have been continued and extended. But unfortunately the Waterwitch in one of the vessels that are not built to swim. On her voyage from Portsmouth to Plymouth she all but went to the bottom, the risk being so great that the Admiralty presented a watch to the thief stoker as a reward to This misadventure was attributand was in no was connected with the character of her propeller. worthiness being thus proved, of course no good experiments could afterwards be made with her, and the Admiralty have rightly refused to send her to sea. The inventor applied to have the engines and propeller taken out of her and fitted up in another vessel : but this !!! my Bords," on August I last year, formally declined, on the ground that "the Waterwitch is, notwithstanding her defects, too useful a vessel ofor many purposes to justify their lordships in removing her engines from her mand the proposition to fit another vessel with the hydraulic propeller must be deferred for the present."

A MAGISTRATE OF THE SECOND Under this head the Pall Mall Galette

eleverly satirizes the press prosecutions in Paris. Achille Pinson is an imaginary ou account of an article which he has writriends, come to admire and sympath

with his anticipated martyrdom Our worthy friend Achille Pincon has not been two minutes in the dock before it is evident from the questions launched at him from the bench that M. Minos has made up his mind not only to convict him, but ikewise to give him three months of imprisonment. Achille Pinson, bejt remark. ed, has written a rather, mild article upon the condition of France-about which he knows little-as compared with that of America - about which he knows nothing, Had the Minister of the Interior let that composition alone nobody would; have suffered much except Achille himself for it probable that nobody would have read the article, and Achille would have been grieved thereat. Achille, however, has been summoned, and after a single examination been convicted for trial. Now if M. Minos were what the Brench call un homme d'esprit; be would content himself by proving very courteously to Achille that his artible was balderdash slightly tinotured with insauity. After which he would discharge him with the truthful assurance that so long as the Government had not more difficult enemies than he to cope with it had not much cause for fear. The effect of this would infallibly be to drive Achille half mad. He would retire from the Palais de Justice discomfited. His friend the badaud near the door would fifter, his friends the journalists would laugh "I' Un the boulevards the thing would be cited as a joke. The Government would earn, very cheaply, a character for liberalism; and M. Mitros a reputation for equity and wit. Before three days had elapsed the editor of Achille would probably request him to abandon the department of politics and take to that of heart, would confine himself thenosforth to chronicling shocking deaths and appalling accidents. Well, no, the thought of making this masterstroke does not so much as occur to M. Mittos. Big with importance. gravely intent upon swelling a molehill into a mountain, he is about to raise a rather mediocre writer, without much genius or principle, to the rank of political martyr. Watch how he questions Achille screws and paddles alike in the merchant | Every line of his insipid article is made to glow with latent treason, as if it were a was not new in the sense of being a recent | streak of phosphorus which might set flands to the Empire. M. Minos, who is a man of education, exhausts all the resources of so long that the original patent had expir- his brain in trying to prove that our exceled, and an extension of it had been granted | lent though ignorant Achille is a mark of y the Privy Council. But the singularity | transcendent and daugerous ability. Achille of the proposal was itself sufficient to ac of course submits to it all with resigned count for its slow progress to success. The and inflated composure, He looks about system consisted in pumping water into a and sees his friends gaze upon him with ship, and ejecting it through nozzles at the | admiration. Mdlle "l'urlupine and Mdlle sides with such force towards the stern as Gredinette are beginning to quarrel about to drive the vessel forward; or, if need him. The badaud near the door is pulling were, towards the bow so as to drive the off his gloves so as to be able to apply ud vessel stern foremost; or forward on one bim when he comes out of Court; and side of the vessel, and aft on the other, so when at last M. Minos shouts out the as to turn her on her centre. When the words, "Three months of prison and a fine novelty of this idea was overcome, it was of a thousand france, Achille feels, with seen by practical men to possess several reason, as though a crown of gold had just obvious advantages. The propelling agency. been set on his head. Yes, a crown of gold.

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9. Should the Payce of a Money Order desire to receive payment in the Country in which the Order was issued, at some other Office than that in which the Order was or ginally drawn, the transfer will be granted provided the Order be inclosed to the Postmaster of the Office in which it was drawn. In such case a new Order will b issued, the Commission chargeable upon which will be deducted from the amount of the new Order. 10.-In the event of a Money Order

miscarrying or being lost, a duplicate will be granted on a written application from the Payee, (containing the necessary particulars, and accompanied by an additional Commission) to the Office where the Original Order was payable.

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12.—But when it is desired that any error in the name of the Remitter or Payer should be corrected or that the amount a Money Order should be repaid to the Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should be renewed for payment in the Country in which the Order was originally drawn application must be made to the Chie Money Order Office of such Country. application must be accompanied by ar additional Commission, unless it have reference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Commission will be deducted from the amount of the New Order.

13.—Repayment whether of an original, Letters, Newspapers, Books and Patterns, or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not will be liable to the same rates of postage be made to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been cancelled at the Office on which the Order was originally drawn.

14. Payment of an Order must be obtained before the end of the Sixth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn; for instance, if drawn in January, payment must be obtained before the end of July, otherwise the Order will become lapsed, and a new Order (for which a second Commission to be deducted from the amount of the Order, will be charged) will become DOCCESSETY.

15. If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn, for instance, if drawn in January and not paid before the end of the following January—all claim to the Money will be forfeited, anless, Schoolmasters in the Army will, in future, be entitled to the same privileges in regard under peculiar circumstances, the Post was drawn think proper to allow it.

16. After once paying a Money Order by whomsoever presented, the paying Office will not be liable to any further claim. If wrong payment, however, be made owing o negligence on the part of any Officer of he Post Office, the Postmaster General of the Country or Colony in which the negligence occurs will, if he see fit, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss.

17. No Money Order will be paid unless the advice has been previously received. 18. - Additional Rules for greater security against fraud, and for the better work-visions of a Treadury Warrant dated ing of the system generally will be made the 7th May, the Postage on a Letter not as occasion may require.

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By Command. F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office, ost Office, General Post Office, Luly 18, 1868, Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

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of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed All Street-Chairs may carry persons who Order. The additional Commission in the have engaged them up to any hour, but of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be first gunfire (8 P.M.), nor Special Chairs As Special Chairs are secured for a higher

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THINESE PILOTAG SERVICE.

GENERAL REGULATIONS WITH LOCAL BULES

PORT OF SWATOW

GENERAL REGULATION L I. Bye-Laws and Local Rules,

1.—Bye-Laws and Rules necessary the better ordering of pilotage matters at ter. the Ports are to be drawn up by the Harhour Master in consultation with the Con-Per doz. qts. 30s | suls and Chamber of Commerce, with whom also it rests in the same way to fix the number of Pilots, tariff of charges, and define the limits of the Pilotage ground. 2.—The number of Pilots for the Port

Swatow shall be six. 3.—The Pilotage ground for the Port of Swatow shall be off Bill Islet to the lower 11s limit of the anchorage kahchio Point. 4. The rates of pilotage shall be as fol-2s lows for all sized yearels between the limits of the Pilotage ground: steamers or sailing vessels, \$2.50 per foot English measurement. To Harbour Pilot for Berthing or Unberthing, 50 cents per foot English measure-

GENERAL REGULATION II. II. Pilots-Individuals Eligible. The subjects, citizens or proteges of Treaty Powers shall, equally with Natives of Chine. and without distinction of nationality, be eligible for appointment when vacancies occur, by the Board of Appointment, subject to the General Regulations now issued and the Bye-Laws to be under them enforced at the several Ports respectively. GENERAL REGULATION III. III. Board of Appointment, how to be

The Board of Appointment shall consist of the Harbour Master as. President, the or a) Senior Pilot, and two persons whose names shall be drawn by lot, by the Harbour Master, from a list prepared and published by the Harhour Master in consultation with the Cousuls and Chambers of

GENERAL REGULATION IV. Vacancies: hair to be filled up. 1. Whenever there may be a vacano amnog the Pilots, it shall be duly notified

the local prints; and eight days afterward the Board of Appointment shall proceed to fill it up by a competitive examination. 2. The Board may refuse to admit the examination any one who, having one been a Licensed Pilot, has had his Licens withdrawn, and also any candidate who unable to procure Consular Certificates as to Character, &c.

3.—The examination shall be public and gratuitous, and the vacancies shall be giver to the most competent among the caudidates without distinction of nationality provided always the competency of the first on the list be not relative but absolute. 4.—The Consul concerned may in person or by deputy, be present and take part i

the examination of candidates. 5 .- The majority of the votes of the members of the Board shall decide the (From the "Stratte Times," July 27, 1868. admission of candidates for Pilots' Licenses, each member having one vote in the Ballot, but in the absence of the Consu concerned the Harbour Master shall have

GENERAL REGULATION V. Pilots' Licenses; by whom to be issued. 1. Pilots' Licenses shall be issued by the Commissioner of Customs in the name as this fine and invigorating medicine. It censes issued to Pilots not being natives is particularly adapted to the constitution of China shall subsequently be vised and 2-Every Licensed Pilot shall be given while those who are attenuated by the de a printed copy of the General Regulations

and Local Rules and shall produce the same as well as his License when required. 3.—On the first of July each year every Pilot shall pay the sum of Ten Haikwan Taels for the renewal of his License. GENERAL REGULATION VI. Apprentice Pilots; how to be taken.

1.—It shall be allowable for each Licensed Pilot to take an apprentice, for whom he shall be responsible; on the application of Pilots, the Harbour Master will supply Apprentices with special certificates. 2. - When the circumstances of the Port

appear to demand it, the Harbour Master may authorize apprentices to act temporaprovided they have received certificates of tf competency from the Board of Appoint

GENERAL REGULATION VIL Licensed Pilots : to whom subordinated Unlicensed Piloting, &c.

1.-Licensed Pilots may carry on their business either singly or in Companies. They must pay due respect to the wishes and instructions of the Harbour Master, under whose order and control they placed, and who is invested with power to suspend or dismiss, subject to an appeal to the Consul concerned; when the Pilot is a Foreigner, the appeal to be lodged within

2. -If guilty of any misconduct for which Consular punishment has been inflicted, or proved to have committed any offence against Revenue Laws, the individual concerned may be suspended or diamissed by the Harbour Master, subject to an appeal to his Consul. If a Foreigner, the appeal to be lodged within three days. 3.—Any one piloting without a License

shall be subject to prosecution before his own authorities, who will deal with the pose of determining dates according to Country. Any Pilot lending his License to

will be liable to be fined in the sum of One Hundred Taels by the authorities to whose GENERAL REGULATION VIIL Pilat Boats : Regulations to be observed.

where each boat will be given a certificate and number. The words "Licensed Pilot Boat" shall, with the number, be legibly painted at the stern, and on the head of the Mainsail; and a flag, of which the upper horizontal half shall be yellow, and the introductory chapter to the notices

intimations.

Master or his deputies, it will be obligatory on registered Pilot Boats to convey from place to place within the limits, employes belonging to either Customs or Harbour Master's Departments, with such stores as may be wanted for either Light-houses or Light ships 10

2.—Every Licensed Pilot Boat shall pay a fee of Twenty Taels for renewal of License on the first of July each year.

3.- In case of a Pilot going off in an unregistered Boat, he will be authorized to carry the Pilot Boat Flag during the time he is on board; but no Pilot is authorised to cruise in an unregistered Boat, without special permission from the Harbour Mas-

4.—The owner or hirer of any unregistered Boat making use of a Pilot Flag, and not having a Licensed Pilot on board, shall be prosecuted before the authorities to whom he is amenable, or whose Flag or national Ensign he has the right to use. 5.-A registered Filot Boat is not permitted to fly the Pilot Flag, save when there is either a Licensed Pilot or certificated Apprentice on board.

GENERAL REGULATION IX. Flags to be exhibited on arrival When nearing the anchorage the Pilot shall cause to be exhibited-A Red and White Flag (No. 3), if the vessel is from Hongkong, Japan, or any Chinese Port.

A Blue and White Flag (No. 2), if from any Foreign Port. A Yellow and Blue (No. 10), if the vessel is in ballest

A Red Swallow Tail (No. 5), if the vessel has gunpowder or other combustibles on GENERAL REGULATION X.

Harbour Pilots: Vessels in Harbour. Berthing, &c. 1.—The duties of the Harbour Pilot. where such exists, will be to take charge of vessels at the outer limit of the anchorage, berth them in accordance with the orders received from the Harbour Master's Department, take charge of vessels shifting berth, going in and out of dock, or to and from a wharf or out of the anchorage, and to assist and report to the Harbour Master's Office all matters concerning the shipping in Port, and the conservancy of the river

r harbour. 2. In berthing vessels the Harbour Master will, as far as possible, meet the wishes of Commanding Officers and Consigness and the entrance working or clearance of vessels taking berths not assigned to them, shall be stopped by the Customs until the Harbour Master's orders are complied with. S.—Vessels are to moor in accordance with orders received from the Harbour Master, and they are not to remove from

the anchorage without his permission. 4. The Harbour Pilotage Fees payable to the Harbour Master are as follows :--Shifting a vessel's berth ; taking a vessel to or from a heaving down Hulk; \$10, in

HE "TREATY PORTS OF CHINA & JAPAN," AND "NOTES AND QUERIES ON CHINA AND JAPAN. EXTRICTS FROM REVIEWS.

Some time ago we had occasion to remark pon the progress that Literature as represented by the Press had made and was making in the East; and our attention has again been called to the subject by the receipt of a Hongkong publication which deserves some notice and which we have much pleasure in introducing to the knowledge of our readers. We allude to Notes and Queries on thina and Japan, published monthly by Mr Saint, the proprietor of the China Mail newspaper. This publication is well printed on good paper, and in size and shape is very like its well-known namesake or prototype at home, and is equally a mine containing very curious and useful information regarding the language, literature, history, manners and customs of the Chinese and in a less degree of the Japanese. It says a good deal for the extent and stability of the footing of Europeans in China, that such a publication as this should be established and conducted with apparently successful vigour. The publication is altogether a very in-

teresting one, and wishing it every success, we commend it to the attention and support of our readers.

(From the "Friend of India," June 4, 1868. We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the numbers for the current year of 'Notes and Queries," a most deserving Anglo-Chinese monthly, edited by Mr N. B. Dennys, whose "Treaty Ports of China and Japan" are so well known. From the names attached to the "Notes" we can see that the contributors include some of the best-Chinese scholars in the East. Its interest is not confined to China, and it will be of valuable assistance to all scholars, who have directed their attention towards the subject of Buddhism and its literature, and generally to all who are interested in oriental antiquities. It deserves to be better known in India.

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the more prominent portions of the chapter devoted to Canton, as a specimen of the whole volume. Other chapters treating of Macao, Formosa, Ningpo, Shanghae, and the remainder of the treaty ports, we can only enumerate. The pages describing Peking, the capital, are so interesting, and contain so much that is new to European 1.—Pilot Boats shall be registered with readers respecting its history, public buil-

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